The Caledonian Mercury.

Edinburgh, Thurſday, September 26, 1728.

From the Poſt Boy Sept. 19.

Rome, Sept. 4.

THere are now no leſs than 3 Manifeſtoes handed about this City: The firſt is the K. of Portugal's againſt this Court; the 2d, a Vindication of the Pope and the Sacred College 'gainſt Signor Bichi; and the 3d, againſt the Cardinal de Noailles, who ſtill refuſes to accept the Conſtitution *Unigenitus* in the Pope's Senſe. The ſeven Cardinals appointed to conſider of this Matter, had a Conference, but their Sentiments were very much divided, ſome of 'em declaring for gentle Methods: Nay, we are told, that Cardinal de Fleury has written to the Pope, That the Cardinal-Archbiſhop being extremely beloved by the Inhabitants of Paris, it were to be wiſhed his Holineſs would enter into ſome middle way to win him over, otherwiſe he would have the bad Fortune to die out of the Favour of Chriſt's Vicar. Circular Letters are ſent to all the Biſhops in Portugal, admoniſhing them to do nothing contrary to the Tenor of the Bulls of former Popes, nor yet to ſuffer any Thing that may leſſen the Reſpect due to them. 'Tis reported, That the K. of Portugal fearing the Pope would make a Preſent to ſome of the Eccleſiaſtical Orders of his Church of St. Antonio, has made over the ſame to the Emperor, who has ſent to Cardinal Cinfuegos to take Poſſeſſion of it with German and Spaniſh Prieſts. The Pope, on the other hand, has forbid all the Heads of Religious Houſes in this City, to ſuffer the Portugueſe Prieſts (as his Holineſs's Subjects) to depart the ſame upon pain of Excommunication.

Peterſburg, Aug. 24. N. S. On the 22d, arrived two Officers of Diſtinction from Moſcow, with Diſpatches of great importance; but upon what Subject we cannot yet learn. Thoſe Officers report, That they had received Advice from Derbent, That Sultan Eſref had made ſuch advantageous Propoſals of Accommodation to the Muſcovite Generals, that there was no Room to doubt of their being accepted, and the Treaty ſigned. It is ſaid the Czar will forthwith nominate one of the principal Lords of his Court to go his Ambaſſador to the King of Spain, for whom a great Number of Cannon are caſting in the Foundaries of Oloniz.

From the London Evening Poſt, Sept. 19.

Hanover, Sept. 12. Yeſterday the Princes William and George of Heſſe-Caſſel, accompanied by Major Sutton, arrived in this City: They went immediately to Herenhauſen to wait on his Royal Highneſs Prince Frederick, with whom they ſupp'd.

London, Sept. 19. Yeſterday in the Afternoon the Earl of Lincoln ſet out for Amiens in France, on his way to Naples: His Lordſhip is to be attended by a Clergyman as his Tutor, Mr. Crawford, one of his Majeſty's Meſſengers, to conduct him on the Road: Mr. Thomas Graham goes Apothecary; beſides a Valet de Chambre, 2 Men and 2 Women-Servants. Being a greater Retinue than has gone abroad with any young Nobleman for many Years.

The Duke de Riperda, a Native of Holland, who had engroſſed to himſelf the moſt conſiderable Places in the Court of Madrid; being Secretary both of State and War, Superintendant of the Finances and of the Duties on Snuff and Tobacco, of the general Rents, and of the Salt Works, as alſo Secretary of the Indies and of the Marine; but being diſmiſſed from thoſe Employs, and for Refuge, convey'd by the Dutch Ambaſſador to the Houſe of Mr. Stanhope, who then reſided there on the part of our Court, from which Sanctuary he was taken on the 25th of May 1726, and confined in the Caſtle of Segovia; has made his Eſcape from thence, but whither he is fled is not known.

S. S. Stock, 103, 1 8th.

From the Whitehall Evening Poſt, Sept. 19.

Paris, Sept 21. On the 23d the Count de Zinzendorf and the Duke de Bournonville went to the King's Levee.

The Duke de Bournonville is preparing to return ſpeedily to Madrid.

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A second Memorial is publiſhed againſt the Eccleſiaſticks retir'd into Holland for Refuge, much more particular than the former.

The Hail having made great Ravages in divers Provinces of the Kingdom, the King has leſſened 3 Millions of the Impoſitions for next Year, to eaſe the ſaid Provinces.

From the St. James's Evening-Poſt, Sept. 19.

Rome, Aug. 28, The vigorous Proceedings of the King of Portugal, give the more Uneaſineſs to this Court, ſince we have been informed that his Majeſty named a Suffragan ſome Months ago to the Oriental Church, without ſo much as acquainting the Pope therewith. All the Portugueſe Clergy, Secular or Regular, likewiſe all Laymen of that Nation, have repeted Orders to depart this City in ſix Months, on pain of Confiſcation of their Eſtates and Poſſeſſions; and there will be left but one Prieſt for the Royal Church of St. Antonio, with the Title of Collector, who at the ſame time will have in his Cuſtody the Plate and ſacred Veſſels belonging to that Church. 'Tis alſo ſaid, the King of Portugal has named the Patriarch of Lisbon Head of the Church of that Kingdom. The 2 Cardinals Olivieri and Corradini, having refuſed to ſign the Bull of Cruſado concerning the Monarchy of Sicily, and the Pope having threatned to take away their Office if they perſiſted in their Refuſal, the latter anſwered him, *Holy Father, a Proceſs in Form muſt be firſt drawn up againſt us as Delinquents, and then we will ſtand up in our Defence.*

Venice, Sept. 11. Saturday laſt the Magiſtrates of Health publiſhed an Order re-eſtabliſhing Commerce with the Eccleſiaſtical State.

Hamburg, Sept. 17. The Court of Holſtein has received a Remittance from Moſcow of 50,000 Rubles, purſuant to the Proviſion made by his Czariſh Majeſty.

London, Sept. 19. Laſt Week a Gentleman coming from Highgate in his Coach, got out, and walking down the Hill at ſome Diſtance, he was attacked by two Foot Pads, who robb'd him of a conſiderable Sum of Money and his Gold Watch, then left him; but one of the Rogues thinking the Gentleman's Coat better than what he had on, returned back and made an Exchange. When the Gentleman came home, he was agreeably ſurpriſed with finding his Money in one Pocket, and his Watch in the other.

From the Evening Poſt, Sept. 19.

Cadix, Sept. 7. 'Tis adviſed from Barbary, that the Black Army hath routed the White, each conſiſting of about 80,000 Men, and made great Slaughter. The Emperor Muley Abdelmeleck eſcaped, but the Blacks took the City of Mequinez by Storm. 'Tis ſaid they have ſet up Muley Abdelah for Emperor, whoſe Mother was a Black, tho' on the other Hand, 'tis ſaid Muley Hamet Deby, who was depoſed on the raiſing Muley Abdelmelech to the Throne, will be reſtored. At Sallee there are two Armies, one of Whites, the other of Blacks. Monſieur Pillet, a French Renegado, who lately commanded that Place is fled.

Amſterdam, Sept. 24. Some Advices from Paris import, That the Plenipotentiaries have at laſt agreed upon a Truce, during which Commiſſioners will be appointed, for regulating in an amicable Manner, on the Baſis of the Treaty of Utrecht, ſuch Differencess as are not adjuſted yet.

Rome, Sept. 4. The Pope has received a Letter from the Confeſſor of the King of Portugal, who acquaints him, that his Majeſty is ſo highly provoked, that 'tis much apprehended he will come to an extreme Reſolution.

Vienna, Sept. 11. According to Letters from Soiſſons, it ſeems that the principal Points in Diſpute between Spain and England, and alſo between the Emperor and the States General, are as good as ſettled, ſo that we look upon the Tranquillity of Europe as ſecured.

Hamburg, Sept. 21. They write from Berlin, that the King of Pruſſia being a hunting lately near Wuſterhauſen, with the Princeſs his 2d Daughter, his Chaiſe was overturned, ſince which his Majeſty has not appeared in publick.

London, Sept. 19. Francis Cottington Eſq; a Roman Catholick Gentleman of a great Eſtate, died a few Days ago at his Habitation in Weſt Wickham, as did his Lady 5 or ſix Days after, and they are both to be buried at the ſame Time, and in the ſame Grave, they left only one Son, who is now at Wincheſter School.

Since our laſt arrived a Mail from Holland.

Wye's

Wye's Letter, verbatim, London, Sept. 21.

William Hall, now Prisoner in Newgate for forging Notes and Indorsements to the Value of 4650 l. was Yesterday charged, by Warrant of Sir Rich. Hopkins, with forging two other Indorsements, one of 1260 l. and the other of 1260 l. in name of Samuel Edwards, Esq; the like whereof was never charged on any Man before: And it is much regreted the Law is not sufficient to inflict that Punishment he deserves. Mean-time 'tis observed, he is daily visited by Persons of small Distinction,

We are told that Mr. Bret, Woolfe's principal Publisher, earnestly cautioned him not to print the *Journal* of the 24th past; but Woolfe said it came from his Master, and he would print it whatever might be the Consequence; That thereupon M. Bret said he would go off, and accordingly did; but his Wife was taken on Wednesday-night last; and Mist's Sister, and her Daughter Mris. Brabant, were taken up and admitted to Bail: But there is a fresh Warrant issued against her, and she absconds, as do two other Pamphleteers, Mr. Charleton, whose House was searched on Thursday, and Mris. Dod, but Messengers are searching very diligently; and 'tis thought the *Craftsman* will be taken up next.

It must fill every *True Briton* with the utmost Abhorrence and Detestation, to see the Characters of their Majesties, who have nothing at Heart but the Happiness and Welfare of the Nation, villainously traduced; and the Ministry, whose only aim and Design is promoting the Interest of the Country, ridiculed and insulted. Fairly the Exeter Printer, who was Yesterday committed to Newgate, will, 'tis assured be tried for High Treason. *Mist's Journal* was again published this Day, but no Body durst sell them or take them into their Houses publickly. Messengers were last Night in quest of such as should disperse the said Journal.

'Tis discourted that the King of France, who is immovable in all his Resolutions, for perfecting the Engagements he has entered into, has signified his Readiness to comply with whatever shall be demanded by the King of Great Britain, in relation to certain of his Subjects said to be at Roan, &c.

Dublin, Sept. 14. On Tuesday Night the City was sadly alarmed by a Fire, which broke out by the boiling over of Turpentine at a Druggists, and before it could be extinguished, did above 2000 L. Damage.

Last Night was buried one Mis. Dawson, a young Gentlewoman of Vere-street, who poysoned herself for Love of a young Clergyman; she bought 50 Grains of Opium, on Pretence of sending it to the Country, and took most of it at once, so that she lived but few Hours.

We have repeted Advices from Soissons, That the Plenipotentiaries were expected there in October next from Fountainbleau; by which time 'tis hoped all Things will be accommodated to Satisfaction, tho' some pretend that the Court of Madrid still insists on the Restitution of certain Places.

The Stocks keep up at a very good Price, notwithstanding the Artifices used by some designing Men for depreciating them, and running down publick Credit.

This Day Mris. Nut and Mris. Smith, with 7 others concerned in printing and Dispersing *Mist's Journal*, were committed to Newgate. Dr. Gaylard is admitted to Bail, as also some others who were Servants to the Mercuries or News-sellers.

'Tis said that the Opinions of his Majesty's Council learn'd in the Law, relating t *Mist's Journal* of the 24th past, was last Thursday transmitted to Windsor in Writing.

We are told that his Majesty will wear a Heron's Feather which cost 30 l. when he assumes his Stall as Sovereign of the most noble Order of the Garter.

From the Evening Post, Sept. 21.

Petersburg, Aug 31. A great Quantity of great Guns and other Implements are actually putting on board two new-built Fregats, which will sail for Spain about the Beginning of October next. Two others are building for the same Crown, but will not be ready before next Year.

Moscow, Sept. 23. On the 18th Instant the Duke of Liria, Ambassador of Spain, stood Godfather to the Daughter of Mr. Sauveplant, Comptroller of the Houshold of the Emperor; and the Great Dutchess, Sister of his Imperial Majesty, Godmother: On which Occasion his Excellency presented her Imperial Highness with a Gold Snuff-box set with Diamonds worth 1500 Ducats. The said Minister daily gains more and more the Esteem of every Body by his Politeness and Liberality.

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From the London Evening-Post, Sept. 21.

Soiſſons, Sept. 13. On Thurſday laſt there was not any Conference at the Caſtle, nor do we know that there will be any Tomorrow, becauſe moſt of the Plenipotentiaries who remained here, are gone to their Country Houſes near this City. 'Tis given out that the Plenipotentiaries who are at Paris and Fountainbleau, ſeeing no Probability of concluding a general Peace, by reaſon of ſeveral Difficulties which ſeem unſurmountable, have agreed upon a Project of Truce, ſome ſay for ſeven, and others for eleven Years; and that they have ſent it to their reſpective Courts for their Approbation thereof, which is expected with Impatience: But ſome believe this is only a Town Talk without Foundation.

Paris, Sept. 24. They now begin to aſſure us, That the Congreſs draws towards an End, the chief Potentates being on the point of agreeing to a general Peace, the Treaty of which is drawing up in Form, almoſt on the Foot of the Quadruple Alliance.

S. S. Stock 103 5 8ths.

N. B. In our laſt, P. 7396, for *marry*, read *unmarry* his Daughter.

Read what follows (alſo in our laſt) thus:

ChrIſte DIC tV tantVM PaX VobIs, id eſt, 1728,
& erit 1729,
PaX erIt; non RegIS VoLentIS, non LegatI CVrentIs: ergo DeI MIſerentIs.

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DAVID SPENCE Secretary.

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THO. ELIOT Secretary

**¶* That there is to be ſet for half a Year or a whole Year, a large convenient Lodging in the Canongate, ready furniſhed, at or before the firſt of November next. Enquire at John Yetts Merchant in Edinburgh, at his Shop in Smith's Land,

To be ſold,

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*** That on Thurſday the Tenth of October next, betwixt 2 & 4 in the Afternoon, at the Sheriff-Clerk's Office in Perth, there is to be expoſed to voluntary Roup and Sale, a large faſhionable LODGING well finiſhed and faſhed, with abundance of Officehouſes, and a large convenient Garden, near the North-Inch of the ſaid Burgh, making a convenient and handſome Dwelling for any Nobleman or Gentleman. The Progreſs of Writs and Conditions of the Roup and Sale, may be ſeen at any Time in the Sheriff Clerk's Hands.

¶+¶ At EDINBURGH, on Wedneſday the 16th Day of October next, the Profeſſors of Medicine will open their uſual Colleges, on the following Branches of Medicine, which make up a complete Syſteme of that Science, viz.

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